

Wilcox County Library

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Date: August 20, 2001

To: FCC

Office of the Secretary

From: Bettie Morgan

Re: Notice of Appeal CC Docket Nos. 96-45 and 97-21

I am enclosing a copy of a letter sent to the USAC. Please advise as to what further action to take at this time in this appeal.

Thank you for considering this appeal.

Sincerely,

Bettie Morgan
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Wilcox County Library Director

100 Broad Street

Camden, AL 36726

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Universal Service Administrative Company

Schools & Libraries Division

FORM 471 CERTIFICATION FORM - RETURN LETTER RECEIVED OUTSIDE OF DUE DATE FOR FY3 (Funding Year 3: 07/01/2000--6/30/2001)

July 26, 2001

Form 471 Application #:

BETTIE MORGAN WILCOX COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY 100 BROAD ST CAMDEN, AL 36726-1702

Dear Applicant:

This letter is your notification that the Fund Year 3, FCC Form 471, *Certification Form* you submitted for the above referenced application was received by the Schools and Libraries Division (SLD) of USAC after the required date of <u>July 15, 2000</u>, 11:59 P.M. E.T. Therefore, we are returning your Form 471 *Certification Form* with this letter, which means that the Schools and Libraries Division (SLD) of USAC will not process any portion of it and the entire application will not be eligible for funding.

If you disagree with this decision and you wish to appeal to the SLD, your appeal must be made in writing and received by us within 30 days of the date on this letter. In your letter of appeal, please include: correct contact information for the appellant, information on the decision you are appealing, the specific item in question, a copy of this letter and an original authorized signature. Appeals sent by fax, e-mail or phone call cannot be processed. Please mail your appeal to: Letter of Appeal, Schools and Libraries Division, Box 125-Correspondence Unit, 80 South Jefferson Road, Whippany, NJ 07981. You may also call our Client Service Bureau at 888-203-8100. While we encourage you to resolve your appeal with the SLD first, you have the option of filing an appeal directly with the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) so that is received within 30 days of the date on this letter. You may send your notice of appeal to: FCC, Office of the Secretary, 445 12th Street, SW; Room TW-A325; Washington, D.C. 20554. Please reference CC Docket Nos. 96-45 and 97-21 on the first page of your appeal.

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Ble	ock 6: Certifications and Signature
24	The applicant is eligible for support because it includes: (Check one or both.) a schools under the statutory definitions of elementary and secondary schools found in the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, 20 U.S.C. Secs. 8801(14) and (25), that do not operate as forprofit businesses and do not have endowments exceeding \$50 million; and/or b libraries or library consortia eligible for assistance from a state library administrative agency under the Library Services and Technology Act of 1996 that do not operate as for-profit businesses and whose budgets are completely separate from any schools, including, but not limited to, elementary and secondary schools, colleges, or universities.
25	The schools and libraries I represent have secured access to all of the resources, including computers, training, software, maintenance, and electrical connections necessary to make effective use of the services purchased as well as to pay the discounted charges for eligible services.
26	All of the individual schools, libraries, and library consortia listed in Block 4 are covered by: a
27	Status of technology plans (if representing multiple entities with mixed technology plan status, check both a and b): a technology plan(s) has/have been approved. b technology plan(s) will be approved by a state or other authorized body. c no technology plan needed; applying for basic local and long distance telephone service only.
28	I certify that the entities eligible for support that I am representing have complied with all applicable state and local laws regarding procurement of services for which support is being sought.
29	I certify that the services the applicant purchases at discounts provided by 47 U.S.C. Sec. 254 will be used solely for educational purposes and will not be sold, resold, or transferred in consideration for money or any other thing of value.
30	I certify that the entity(ies) I represent has complied with all program rules and I acknowledge that failure to do so may result in denial of discount funding and/or cancellation of funding commitments.
31	I understand that the discount level used for shared services is conditional, for future years, upon ensuring that the most disadvantaged schools and libraries that are treated as sharing in the service, receive an appropriate share of benefits from those services.
32	I recognize that I may be audited pursuant to this application and will retain for five years any and all worksheets and other records that I rely upon to fill out this application.
33	I certify that I am authorized to submit this request on behalf of the above-named entities, that I have examined this request, and to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief, all statements of fact contained herein are true.
34	Signature Bettie Morgan 35 Date 5/26/2000
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36	Printed name of authorized person Settle //lorgan
37	Title or position of authorized person Library Director
38	Telephone number of authorized person: (334)682-4355 ext
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36. Printed name of authorized person	Bettie Morgan
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Applicant's Form Identifier: wcl-4712000

Contact Person: Bettie Morgan

Entity Number: 128174 Phone Number: (334) 682-4355

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KC 8-14-01 5/26/90 Thank you for your interest in the Schools and Libraries Program.

Schools and Libraries Division of Universal Service Administrative Company

Enclosure:

(1) FY3 - Form 471Certification Form